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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	PATENT
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Bernhard SPIEGL et al.	)	GROUP: 3746
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Serial No.: 10/664,042	)	EXAMINER: KOCZO, Jr. M.
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Filed: September 17, 2003	)	CUSTOMER NO.: 25269
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METHOD OF STEPLESS CAPACITY	)	CONFIRMATION NO.: 2602
CONTROL OF A RECIPROCATING...	)	

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
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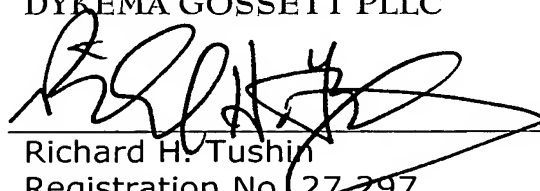
Sir:

Referring to the Advisory Action of December 19, 2006, the  
inventors select the Figs. 1-2 specie for initial evaluation.

Respectfully submitted,

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